Availability Questionnaire

Federal Judicial Extern Diversity Program

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Law School:							
Law School Contact Name:							
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Location Preferences: (Enter 1st Choice as 1, 2nd Choice as 2, etc)							
	San Francisco, CA			Los Angeles, CA			
	Seattle, WA			Sacramento, CA			
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Resume, writing sample, and personal statement:			a [=	ached Follow		
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Federal Judicial Extern Diversity Program

Promoting Diversity in the Federal Courts



Sponsored by: Standing Committee on Gender, Racial, Religious, and Ethnic Fairness, Judicial Council of the Ninth Circuit

Program Information

<u>Purpose</u>: To promote interest in Ninth Circuit judicial clerkships among students with diverse backgrounds and interests, and to assist federal judges in locating and placing qualified individuals of every race and ethnicity.

<u>Length of Program</u>: Work hours to be determined by the participating judge and the selected student.

<u>Locations</u>: Externships will be available in circuit, district, magistrate, and bankruptcy chambers throughout the Ninth Circuit. Every effort will be made to place students in their first location choice.

Assignments: This is an opportunity for students to work directly with federal judges and their clerks in conducting legal research, preparing bench memoranda on pending cases, viewing developing pre-trial matters, and observing settlement conferences, final pre-trial conferences, trials and motion hearings.

Course Credit: These are non-paid assignments. Students may earn course credit as arranged and approved by their law schools.

Eligible Participants: Any law student who will complete his or her first or second year of law school by the start of the externship term.



Court of Appeals Building at 7th and Mission Streets in San Francisco

<u>Qualifications</u>: Students must demonstrate strong research, writing and analytical abilities.

Application Process: Students must submit a resume, a writing sample, and a personal statement that describes their interest in this program. Each student will be referred to a participating judge who will make the final selection.

Note: Application through this program does not preclude students from applying directly to federal judges for extern or clerkship positions.

<u>Application Timeline</u>: The Federal Judicial Extern Diversity Program coordinates externship placements for the Spring, Summer and Fall terms. The application deadline for each term is as follows:

 Spring 2005:
 October 15, 2004

 Summer 2005:
 December 1, 2004

 Fall 2005:
 April 2, 2005

Boundaries of the 9th Circuit



The Ninth Circuit, headquartered in San Francisco, is the largest federal circuit in the United States with jurisdiction over nine western states, Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands.

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